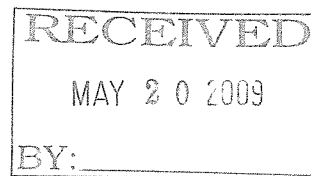




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May 19, 2009

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**CPF No. 4-2009-1010M, Notice of Amendment**

Dear Mr. Seeley,

Praxair has received and reviewed the Notice of Amendment sent by you on April 16, 2009. Praxair does not wish to contest this Notice, and will modify its Integrity Management Plan to address the inadequacies identified in the Notice of Amendment.

We expect to complete the revisions and submit copies of the revised Plan to your office before July 31, 2009.

Respectfully submitted,

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